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SUBJECT: ELECTION TO IMCO COUNCIL: NOVEMBER 16

REFS: A) STATE 256979; B) MONROVIA 7743; C) OTTAWA 09605;
D) MEXICO 18763; E) STATE 265538; F) LIMA 9719;
G) NEW DELHI 15810; H) ROME 17937; (ALL BUT STATE 256979
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1. ELECTIONS TO THE COUNCIL OF THE INTERGOVERNMENTAL MARITIME CONSULTATIVE ORGANIZATION (IMCO) AT THE BIENNIAL ASSEMBLY IN LONDON ARE EXPECTED TO TAKE PLACE WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 16. REFTEL A REQUESTED SUPPORT FOR RE-ELECTION U.S. TO COUNCIL.
 2. VARIOUS COUNTRIES HAVE NOW INDICATED THEIR WILLINGNESS TO VOTE FOR US ON BASIS RECIPROCITY (MEXICO, INDIA, PERU), OR HAVE INDICATED THEIR EXPECTATION OF RECIPROCITY (FRG) OR HAVE REQUESTED OUR VOTE FOR THEIR CANDIDACY AND HAVE ASKED FOR OUR DECISION (ITALY, LIBERIA, CANADA).
 3. IN ALL CASES OUR ANSWER IS BASICALLY THE SAME. SYMPATHETIC CONSIDERATION IS BEING GIVEN ALL REQUESTS, HOWEVER, FINAL DECISIONS REGARDING THE NEW COUNCIL ARE NOW BEING WORKED OUT IN LONDON AMONG THE DELEGATIONS AT THE IMCO ASSEMBLY. YOU MAY INFORM THE HOST GOVERNMENT BY DIPLOMATIC NOTE OR SUITABLE MEANS -- IF THAT IS NECESSARY.
 4. FOR LIMA - IN RESPONSE TO INQUIRY FROM PERUVIAN EMBASSY RE THEIR SECOND NOTE SOLICITING US SUPPORT FOR PERUVIAN CANDIDACY, DEPT OFFICER INFORMED EMBASSY ON NOVEMBER 7 THAT WE WERE GIVING THEIR CANDIDACY OUR SYMPATHETIC CONSIDERATION WITHOUT, HOWEVER, INDICATING WHAT OUR FINAL DECISION MIGHT BE.
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5. FOR ROME AND LONDON - UNDER INSTRUCTIONS BADINI OF ITALIAN EMBASSY MADE DEMARCHE TO IO/TRC FOR COUNCIL SEAT. HE SAID THAT ITALIAN DELEGATION LONDON HAD SUGGESTED WASHINGTON INTERVENTION BECAUSE US IMCO DELEGATION HAD SAID THAT, WHILE US DELEGATION IN PRINCIPLE FAVORED ITALIAN CANDIDACY, NO INSTRUCTIONS HAD YET BEEN RECEIVED FROM WASHINGTON. HE WAS TOLD THAT DEPARTMENT IS MAINTAINING CLOSE CONTACT WITH US IMCO DELEGATION REGARDING EVOLVING SITUATION AMONG DELEGATIONS IN LONDON. BADINI SAID HE WOULD MAKE NEW INQUIRY MONDAY OR TUESDAY.
6. FOR LONDON - PLEASE REPORT TO DEPT AND OTHER ADDRESSEES RESULTS OF ELECTIONS, PARTICULARLY HOW EACH OF CITED COUNTRIES FARED; ALSO ON AN FYI BASIS HOW US VOTED. VANCE

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